

Policy No. 411

## **Guidelines for Speakers**

Adopted: July 16, 1999

When a speaker is invited to make a presentation at Committee, Workgroup, or full Council meetings, the following procedures will be used:

- 1. Inviting group will clearly identify the purpose of the presentation. This may include developing questions to be answered during the presentation. For example, How many individuals with developmental disabilities have benefited as a result of this contract? What recommendations do you have for future Council action? What did you learn as a result of this contract?
- Staff (or a Council member) will invite the speaker and provide them with the
  information generated by the inviting group. Staff (or a Council member) will also
  let the speaker know how much time has been allotted to them for the
  presentation and for questions.
- Staff will prepare a summary of contract or project information (using the attached form). This will be included in the Council mailing prior to the meeting.
- 4. During presentations by invited speakers, Council members will hold questions until the end of the presentation and keep side conversations to a minimum.

Attachment: Background for Council Presentation on Contract or Project

Background for Council	l Presentation on Contract or Project
Inviting Group:	
Audience (Meeting & Date):	
Name of Contract/Project:	
Begin Date:	End Date:
Total \$ Amount:	
Purpose:	
Connection to Three Year Plan:	
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Invited Speaker(s):	
Purpose of Presentation (as identified	d by the inviting group):
Note: This form is an attachment to "	Guidelines for Speakers – Procedures"
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